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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filling a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filling fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filling fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.18(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application does not contain a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1,825(d). Applicant must provide such statement. If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e) If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing Information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the Instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$610 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1510 for a Large Entity

- = \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$610
  - \$430 for 5 independent claims over 3.
  - \$180 for 10 total claims over 20.

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### SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS

Sir:

This is a response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application dated June 16, 2004. A copy of the Notice accompanies this response.

Triplicate versions of a Declaration And Power Of Attorney, collectively bearing all of the inventors' signatures, are enclosed. The undersigned notes that the declaration form as executed by inventor Sillard has been corrected to read "Rannar Sillard", rather than Rannar W. Sillard.

A diskette containing a computer readable form (CRF) of the Sequence Listing as filed is also enclosed. The content of the enclosed copy of the Sequence Listing in CRF

is identical to the content of the written (paper) version of the Sequence Listing as filed in the above-identified application on February 25, 2004, as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f).

Please charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 10-0750 (a duplicate of this paper is enclosed):

- \$130.00 surcharge for late oath or declaration; and
- \$770.00 for the basic filing fee, \$430.00 for 5 independent claims in excess of 3, and \$180.00 for 10 total claims in excess of 20.

If any other fees are necessary for the filing of this response, please charge all required fees to Deposit Account No. 10-0750.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 16, 2004

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